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Subject: Humectants in C. I. Cigarette Brands, I4J

The filler from commercial cigarettes manufactured in September, 1974, were analyzed by GLC for propylene glycol (PG), glycerin (GLY), triethylene glycol (TEG), 1,3-butanediol (BD), and Sorbitol.

Average humectant levels for each company are shown in Table I. Triethylene glycol was found only in Philip Morris brands. Lorillard brands were the only brands containing sorbitol and 1,3-butanediol. Table II lists individual brands and the humectant levels by company. All values are reported on an uncorrected, as received, moisture basis. Several brands previously submitted for testing were not available for these tests. Hopefully, the brands sampled will give a representative picture of humectant types and the levels currently used.

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